EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS BOARD[282]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 272.2, the Board of Educational Examiners hereby amends Chapter 13, "Issuance of Teacher Licenses and Endorsements," Iowa Administrative Code.

There are two parts to this amendment. The first changes the language for out-of-state licensure. Currently the rule states that an applicant must obtain a license from the state in which the applicant prepared. However, if an applicant has been teaching in a state other than the one where the applicant prepared, a barrier to licensure occurs because the applicant must renew a dormant license or obtain a license for the first time in the state where the applicant prepared. The second part amends the out-of-state licensure requirements so that 75 percent of the endorsement requirements must be completed.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on June 2, 2010, as **ARC 8822B**. A public hearing on the amendment was held on Wednesday, June 23, 2010. No one attended the public hearing, and no written comments were received. This amendment is identical to that published under Notice.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 272.

This amendment will become effective October 13, 2010.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend subrule 13.17(1) as follows:

13.17(1) One-year teacher exchange license.

- a. For an applicant applying under 13.3(2), a one-year nonrenewable exchange license may be issued to the applicant under the following conditions:
 - (1) and (2) No change.
- (3) The applicant holds and submits a copy of a valid regular certificate or license in the state in which the preparation was completed <u>or in which the applicant is currently teaching</u>, exclusive of a temporary, emergency or substitute license or certificate; and
 - (4) No change.
- (5) Each exchange license shall be limited to the area(s) and level(s) of instruction as determined by an analysis of the application, the transcripts and the license or certificate held in the state in which the basic preparation for licensure was completed or of the application and the credential evaluation report. The applicant must have completed at least $50 \ \underline{75}$ percent of the endorsement requirements through a two- or four-year institution in order for the endorsement to be included on the exchange license; and
 - (6) and (7) No change.
 - b. No change.

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